GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4179
ANSWERED ON:10.04.2003
RAIL PROJECTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the new/on-going/pending rail projects and surveys in Andhra Pradesh alongwith the progress made thereon, project-wise;

(b) the time schedule for completion of these proejcts;

(c) whether various on-going railway projects are showing slow progress being delayed due to inadequate allocation of funds;

(d) if so, whether the Government propose to enhance the allocations for timely implementation of these projects;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) to (f) : A statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (f) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4179 BY D R. MANDA JAGANNATH, DR. M.V.V.S. MURTHI AND SHRI RAM MOHAN GADDE TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 10.4.2003 REGARDING RAIL PROJECTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH.

(a) & (b): The details of various ongoing projects including pending and new projects appearing in the budget 03-04 in Andhra Pradesh alongwith their status and time schedule of completion wherever fixed is given as under : -

S.No.	Name of the project	Anticipated cost (Rs. in crs.)	Expenditure upto 31.3.2003 (Rs. in crs.)	Outlay 2003-2004 (Rs. in crs.)	Status
New Lines					
1	Dharmavaram-Penukonda via Puttaparthi	124.22	112.54	0.02	Work completed and commissioned
2	Gadwal-Raichur	108.91	4.1	5.00	Final location survey has been completed and land acquisition is in progress
3	Kakinada-Kotipalli	66.8	27.25	21.32	Earthwork and bridge works etc. are in progress. Work is targeted for completion during 2003-2004.
4	Kakinada-Pithapuram	61.7	0.02	0.01	Work will be taken up after obtaining requisite clearances for which action has been initiated.
5	Kotipalli-Narsapur	329.05	9.38	5.00	Final location survey between Kotapalli-Amalapuram completed and land acquisition is in progress. Final location survey for Amalapuram-Narsapur is in progress.
6	Macherla-Nalgonda	125.09	0.29	1.00	Final location survey has been completed. Detailed estimate is under process.
7	Munirabad-Mehbubnagar	420.12	16.43	10.00	Final location survey completed. In the first phase,

					work has been taken up on Yermaras-Krishna section.
8	Nandyal-Yerraguntla	164.36	8.28	5.00	561.55 acres of land out of 582 acres in Cuddapah District has been taken over. Earthwork and bridge works are in progress in part length.
9	Peddapally-Karimnagar-Nizamabad	382.83	76.97	15.00	Peddpally-Karimnagar completed and commissioned. Land acquisition is in progress on rest of the section.
Gauge Conversion					
1	Dharmavaram-Pakala	251.22	0.06	1.00	Detailed survey has been completed and detailed estimate processed. Work is in initial planning stage.
2	Guntur-Guntakal & Gunatakal-Kalluru new line from Pendakallu to Gooty	516.1	456.5	0.01	Guntur-Guntakal and new line portion from Pendekallu-Gooty completed and commissioned. Work on Guntakal-Kalluru will be done alongwith Dharmavaram-Pakala gauge conversion.
3	Katpadi-Pakala-Tirupati	130.49	122.65	2.67	Track linking has been completed. Remodelling of yards and other works in progress.
4	Mudkhed-Adilabad	170	27.98	30.00	Work which was earlier being done under Build-Own-Lease-Transfer (BOLT) scheme is now being done with railway funds. Earthwork, bridge works etc. is in progress.
5	Naupada-Gunupur	91.3	5.04	15.00	Requisite clearances have been obtained. Tenders for earthwork and minor bridges have been processed.
6	Secunderabad Dronachellam	351.05	329.51	0.01	Work completed and commissioned.
7	Secunderabad-Mudkhed & Jankhampet-Bodhan	287.83	151.66	30.00	Mudkhed-Nizamabad and Jankhampet-Bodhan sections completed and commissioned. Work is in progress on Nizamabad-Bolarum- Secunderabad sections.
Doubling					
1	Balapalle-Pullampet Ph-I of Gooty-Renigunta	74.77	34.77	40.00	Earthwork and bridge works in progress. 31.5 km targeted for completion during 2003-2004.
2	Gajapatinagaram-Vijayanagaram	41.68	40.98	0.01	Work completed and commissioned.
3	Gooty-Renigunta – Patch doubling	304.5	31.08	40.00	Earthwork and bridge works on Pullampet-Bakarapet section in progress.
4	Gudur-Renigunta	157.33	113.65	18.00	Five block sections totaling 53 km commissioned. 30 km targeted for completion during 2003-2004.
5	Hospet-Guntakal	154.14	56.42	35.00	Earthwork and bridge works etc. are in progress. Bellary-Tornagallu section targeted for completion during 2003-2004.
	Raichur-Guntakal	136.62	0	20.00	New work included in budget 2003-2004 and would be taken up once budget is passed by the Parliament.
6	Vijaywada-Krishna Canal 3rd line	41.86	39.07	1.00	Track linking between Vijaywada and Krishna Canal completed.
7	Whitefield-Kuppam	162.23	107.23	27.00	Whitefield -Bangarpet and Bangarpet yard completed and commissioned. Work is in progress on rest of the section.
Metropolitan Transport project					
1	Hyderabad-Multi Model Suburban	69.96 Railway's share	31.59	2.87	The upgradation of infrastructure has been completed

	commuter transport system	= 34.98			except between two stations where land has been handed over recently.
Electrification					
2	Bhubaneswar-Kottavalasa	321.07	276.49	15.00	The entire section energized and electric traction introduced.
3	Renigunta-Guntakal	168.34	26.47	30.00	Work is in progress on Renigunta-Nandalur section.

The details of ongoing surveys in Andhra Pradesh is as under:

Surveys in progress

Name of survey	Anticipated cost (Rs. in lakhs)	Target date for completion
Hasthavaram-Krishnapatnam new line	17.42	31.7.2003
Donakonda-Vedareva new line	7.42	31.5.2003
Ponduru-Razam new line	1.35	31.7.2003

(c) to (f): The ongoing projects are being progressed as per their overall priority depending upon availability of resources.